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Sorority Rushing Begins Monday With Parties

Formal rushing began at MSTC Thursday, January 13, with the issuing of invitations and continues through February 16.

The Gamma Nu sorority will begin rushing with a "Shore Leave" fun party Monday, January 17, in the Student Center. The formal dinner will be held Monday, January 31. Committees for rushing are decorations, Vonnie Henderson, Shirley Scheer; food, Glory Lemke, Marilyn Hovland, Rae Iverson; games, Betsy Robinson, Valdine Weiss; prizes, Norma Hoving; entertainment, Marlene Jacobs, Lila Fossen.

Rae Iverson is rushing captain. "Flapper Fling" is the theme of the Psi Delta Kappa fun party, Wednesday, January 19. The second party of the series of three, the formal dinner will be held Wednesday, February 2. Committees include decorations, Donna Canning, Barbara Bishop, Edvina Noto; entertainment, Gayle Rockstad, Alfrieda Thielke, Gladys Woodke, food, Helen Miller, Anne Tveit; invitations, Beverly Severeid, Gail Warner, DeLayne Reidberger.

Rushing captain is Gail Warnes. The first rushing party for the Beta Chi's will be on Tuesday, January 18, in the Beta Chi room. "Honky Tonk" is the theme for the fun party.

Deans' List Names 119; Freshmen Lead With 47

One hundred nineteen students with a cumulative honor point ratio of 2.0 or better have been named to the fall quarter deans' list by the Office of Admissions.

Freshmen lead the list with 47 students. Nineteen seniors, 17 juniors, and 36 sophomores complete the number.

Seniors named are Betsy Aas, Karen Dyre, Don Ellingson, John Johnson, Alice Johnston, Marvin Jones, Alex Karmarkovic, Philip Lippert, Mary Matheson, Twilla Monson, August Mueller, Gloria Pastorius, Betsy Robinson, Paul Schmidt, Rhoda Senechal, Robert Tolbert, Gwendolyn Wachal, Robert Wachal, and Ernest Wheeler.

Juniors are Anne Anderson, Mildred Bjornstad, Barbara Eckles, Elaine Erkkila, Joan Fett, Vivian Floberg, Norma Hoving, Charles Knickerbocker, Gloria Lemke, Edith Moll, Richard Olsen, John Soeth, Margaret Starkey, Grace Svendsen, Donna Thomas, Nelvina Zicafoose, and William Zimmerman.

Sophomores listed are Bernice Akre, Frances Berkley, Barbara Caughey, Mary Coyne, Opal Davison, Sandy DiBrito, Gloria Eia, Jean Evenson, Kathryn Fankhanel, Jean Fronning, John Green, Anna Gust, Joan Hallett, John Haugo, Dorothy Hertel, Rae Iverson, Marlene Jacobs, Anne Jacobson.

Nancy Kruger, Charles Lorenson, Rodney Mapes, Ruth Moe, Joanne Nybakken, Delphia Pearson, John Rassborough, Carol Sandberg, Delores Sands, Patricia Schmidt, Donald Schulenberg, Arlene Shelstad, Dorothy Shultz, Margaret Stoffel, Kay Thompson, Theonella Troumbly, Gail Warnes and Valdine Weiss.

Freshmen are Robert Blaine, Calvin Bradley, Janis Bugge, Delsie Charais, John Cogswell, Delores Collins, Richard Dahlen, Audrey DeMars, Daryl Dierks, Bernadette Dufault, Joan Fowler, Lyle Gleesing, Darlene Goodyear, Dolores Goodyear, Jo Anne Hajny, Edwin Horan, Marie Jensen,

Journalism Frat Holds Banquet For Initiates

Alpha Phi Gamma, national educational journalistic fraternity, will hold initiation for new members Friday, January 14 at 4:20 in the publications office.

A banquet honoring the initiates will be held at Warren's Cafe at 6:30 the same evening. Featured speaker will be Lloyd Sveen, editor of the Moorhead Daily News.

New members include Rachel Briggs, Pat Ferris, Elaine Erkkila,

February 7 is the date of the formal dinner. Committees are invitations Nancy Granger, Daisy McKenzie; decorations, Rhoda Senechal, Mary Jane Stranahan, Arlene Shelstad; food, Pat Schmidt, Darlene Tweten; favors and prizes, Mary Severson, Fran Berkley.

Rushing captains are Janice Hess and Eileen Fillman.

"Bewitching Party" is the name of the fun party to be given by the Pi Mu Phi sorority in Ingleside Thursday, January 20. The formal dinner will be on Wednesday, February 9. Committees include invitations, Joan Hallett; fun party — program, Vivian Floberg; decorations, Barbara Newberger; food, Una Orud. Formal dinner — reservations and menu, Barbara Eckles; flowers, Shirley Bengston; entertainment, Betsy Waller; programs and place cards, Chell Soeth. "Witch Tea" — food, Bonnie Wee, entertainment, Betty Waller, Barbara Newberger, Joan Hallett, Una Orud.

Lila Hanson and Kay Thompson are rushing captains.

Rushing will conclude with the formal teas held by each sorority in their respective rooms on Sunday, February 13. A silence period will be observed from Sunday, February 13, at 6 p.m. until 12 noon on Wednesday, February 16.

Elmer Johnson, June Johnson, Morlan Johnson, Elaine Karlstrom, Mary Kjelstrom.

Ronald Kragness, Kenneth Lang, Helen McGuigan, Eugene Manning, Bette Morehead, Gordon Mortrude, Lynne Murphy, Janet Murray, Ruth Pikop, Janice Plonty, Solveig Ramstad, Carolyn Roberts Dahl, Jo Ann Sater, Harlan Shuck, June Sjoquist, Gary Smith, Carol Spainhower, Philip Swenson, Ronald Thompson, Carol Vennerstrom, Ronald Welch, Teresa Weniger, James Wenner, Shirley Wigesland, and Ruth Williams.

MS Chapter of Kappa Delta Pi Will Initiate 24 New Members

Twenty-four new members will be initiated into the Gamma Gamma chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, honorary education society, on Wednesday, January 19, at a dinner meeting to be held at the Gardner Hotel in Fargo.

The new members are Anne Anderson, Eugene Berndt, Mildred Bjornstad, Opal Davison, Elaine Erkkila, Vivian Floberg, Louise Forman, Norma Hoving, John Johnson, Alice Johnston, Marvin Jones, Clarice Larson, James Matchie, Edith Moll, August Mueller, Jane Nelson, Gloria Pastorius, Dennis Rehder, Betsy Robinson, Grace Svendsen, Robert Tolbert, Gwendolyn Wachal, Robert Wachal and Nelvina Zicafoose.

The local chapter on campus, the Gamma Gamma chapter, was organized in 1931. It is one of the more than one hundred and fifty chapters of Kappa Delta Pi, which is an international organization.

Juniors and seniors are admitted to membership by recommendation of the membership committee. Recommendations are based upon a scholarship ratio of at least 2.0 and nine hours in professional education with

Joan Hallett, Daisy McKenzie, John Ness, DeLayne Reidberger, Don Anderson, and Chell Soeth.

Officers of the organization are Alex Karmarkovic, president; and Norma Hoving, secretary-treasurer. Other members are Barbara Benson, Betsy Robinson, and Bob Utke.

Membership in the organization is restricted to upperclassmen who have shown responsibility and ability in the journalistic field.

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Faculty Association To Offer College Night Courses Tuesday

The 1955 College Night program of evening activity and discussion courses will begin Tuesday, January 18, it was announced today by the committee in charge at MSTC.

When administrative problems, including a state requirement of higher fees, put difficulties in the way of the program, the faculty association decided last Monday to take the project over as a voluntary assignment, with money from the uniform five-dollar fee to go into scholarships for entering freshman. It was agreed that no adjustment could be made in regular faculty assignments because of the larger enrollment this year, and that the faculty would assume the extra load on their own responsibility.

Named by the faculty association as coordinator of the program was Dr. Byron D. Murray; treasurer and accountant, Dr. Genevieve King; publicity, Dr. Clarence Glasrud; printing, Dr. Marlowe Wegner; and sociability, Miss Karen Kivi. H. B. Addicott, head of the geography department and president of the faculty association, will probably name others to assist committee heads.

This year's College Night will feature courses in travelers' Spanish, great novels, photography, oil painting, wood carving, textile design, and speech for everyday affairs. Golf and swimming will be available, each over a two-hour period, but beginning February 22, since the college gymnasiums are scheduled for other college and community events up to that time.

In addition to these courses specifically named, an opportunity will be provided for community groups interested in the direction of children's

activities, in a study of personality problems, or in problems of a special business group to present their idea to the committee, and available leaders from the community and the faculty will be provided and accommodations arranged. Interest has already been expressed by local realtors for a study group.

Oil painting and wood carving will be under the direction of Dr. Nels N. Johnson. Miss Iletta Holman and Miss Matilda Williams will offer the course in textile design, which will include work in block printing and silk screen.

Photography for the amateur is something new on College Night. Under the direction of H. B. Addicott of the faculty, with Ham Gillespie as consultant, and with the cooperation of the Grosz and Scherling studios of Moorhead and the Epko film service of Fargo, problems of lighting, composition, backgrounds, color work, developing and projection will be studied.

Literary discussions this year will take the form of a series of reviews and discussions of several of the great novels of the world. Coordinator will

be Dr. Glasrud, assisted by Dr. Murray, Miss Delsie Holmquist, Dr. Catherine Cater, Dr. Joseph Satin, and Miss Kivi.

Mrs. Virginia Grantham will again offer the popular course in conversational Spanish for those who anticipate travel to the Southwest states, to Mexico, or the Caribbean area.

Dr. Lloyd Watkins and Dr. Allen Erickson are offering their services to those who feel that lack of ease in ordinary speech situations is a handicap to them in their business, civic or social life.

Golf and swimming, which will be scheduled for the period of February 22 to March 15 inclusive, will be under the direction of Dr. T. Edison Smith and Fritz Bierhaus, both of the health and physical education department.

With the exception of the two latter offerings, all courses will begin at 7:30 on Tuesday, January 18, and run until 9:30, with a "coffee break" at 8:30. The first session will constitute an organization period. It will be necessary because of facilities available to limit the enrollment in oil painting, photography, travelers' Spanish, golf, and swimming.

MS Invites Schools To Citizenship Meet

High school students representing 112 schools have been invited to the second annual Red River Valley Citizenship Education conference to be held at MSTC Saturday, January 29.

The delegates will be chosen by their own classmates on the basis of such qualities as honesty, sense of responsibility, courage of convictions, and fairness. Each school is allowed four representatives, a boy and a girl from both the junior and senior classes.

One purpose of conference is to give students a chance to compare ideas with others who live as far as 400 miles away. The schools invited extend as far north as Hallock, N. D., and Pembina, Minn., and as far south as Wahpeton, N. D., and Canby, Minn.

The delegates will take part in a

full day of group and panel discussions. What is meant by school citizenship; the role the church, school, and home can play in its development; and what the students and their towns can do about juvenile delinquency will be the topics for the discussion and panels.

Students outstanding in the group discussion will be members of the first panel, and the best of these will be chosen for the final panel. College students will lead the discussions on school citizenship, and Vance Thyself, Clay county attorney, will lead the panel on juvenile delinquency.

Men Outnumber Women Slightly

Over seven hundred students are enrolled for the winter quarter at MSTC.

The admissions office reports 705 enrollments to date with several which are not yet completed.

Men students slightly outnumber women with 379 men and 326 women enrolled.

The present winter enrollment figures show a slight decrease from last fall when 710 students were registered.

MS Requests From Legislature Include Extensions, Bleachers

The administration and students of MSTC are watching the state legislature to see if requests for building and special project requests are granted.

We are asking the legislature for an estimated \$240,000 for an extension of Weld hall and classroom building. Another part of the request asks appropriations for the building of concrete bleachers to seat approximately 5,000 persons. The bleachers cost about \$178,000. Included in this amount are indoor physical education facilities.

MSTC is asking to provide for a total of 80 teachers for 1955-56, and 84 for 1955-57. We now have 62 persons on the faculty, which is far too few to approach the standard of one teacher to thirteen students. Per-

haps most interesting to the students is the \$12,000 request which will provide for the installation of four tennis courts.

Other requests for very important repair and improvement projects will cost approximately \$83,000. Another \$45,000 is needed for extension of the library facilities. Each of five teachers colleges is requesting \$50,000 for an equipment, storage, and repair shop.

The MSTC budget requests were formulated by the college and presented to the State Teachers College Board. The STC Board is responsible for presenting the budget to the State Department of Administration. The request will then be included in the Governor's Budget, which the new governor, Orville Freeman, will submit to the legislature.

Election Time Is Coming--- Share in Student Government

(Editor's note: Instead of writing a new editorial this week, the editors have decided that a former one is so apropos to the present that it should be repeated with minor changes. Credit is therefore due to Shereen Erickson, last year's editor-in-chief.)

Student activities at MSTC are governed and guided by a student organization — the Student Commission. The powers held by the Commission have been acquired over a long period of years. Neither its powers nor their exercise are to be regarded lightly.

With the coming election of new officers, each member of the student body should be aware of the role he is expected to play in student government.

The Constitution states that the purpose of the Student Commission is 'to uphold standards and ideals for all college activities, to crystallize student opinion, to develop and maintain desirable college traditions, and to make all extra-curricular activities serve useful purposes in the life of the institution and of the student body.'

For whom does the Commission exist? For the faculty, for the benefit of its nine members? Obviously the answer is that the Commission members are the elected representatives of each man and woman who composes the student population of our college group—freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior—whether his interests lie in music, science, athletics, or any other field.

The power of student government is ours. It remains static unless each of us realizes its potential force and promotes it. There is nothing which can defeat the purpose of student government so completely as a dull, uninterested student body.

You may complain: "My department never gets any notice." "Why don't we have more square dances?" "It isn't right that freshmen should have to go through a general initiation."

Let's face it. We gripe and complain, but we rarely make any attempt to change the situation. We prefer to have someone else plan entertainments and activities for us, to have someone else do the work.

Besides the accomplishments that a progressive student group can attain, there's stimulative attitude that results which can invigorate the whole college.

Wake up, MS students! There is an election for new Commissioners coming up. There are not just nine persons on this campus who are capable of filling Commission posts — there should be 700.

Now is the time to make yourself heard. You can become a candidate for any Commission position by filing your name for the primary elections. Should the commission nominate you as a candidate, do not hesitate to accept the nomination. There is no distinction between candidates self-filed or commission nominated.

We are reprinting in this issue the portions of the constitution dealing with the election. The process of filing is explained. The dates of filing and nominating are announced.

Take advantage of this opportunity to do your part in our student government.

Are You One of These?

Absentminded Students Top Profs

by DeLayne Riedberger

Cartoons and comic strips have done an excellent job in playing up the absentminded professor. Perhaps, in your years at MSTC, you have run across one or two instructors who appear to be a little absentminded at

times.

It is quite evident that MSTC has not only absentminded professors, but absentminded students as well. The strange thing is that it is showing up in the female students!

For instance, just the other day, a

college co-ed started for home and as she took her first deep breath of the 5 o'clock air, she thought it seemed rather cool. Dwelling on the crispness of the air, she suddenly realized that she had put on her boots but had failed to put on her coat!

With this discovery, she quickly backtracked and on locating her coat, which took awhile, she once again started for home. She actually made it, but don't ask me how!

Another interesting incident occurred when a girl decided to munch on a piece of gum and apply lipstick. As she pulled both of the articles from her purse, she proceeded to bit into her lipstick. As her teeth sunk into it she realized that she had the wrong article in her mouth. It was Avon lipstick and she stated that it tastes as good as it smells.

No doubt you have seen the student who walks around the hall in an intellectual daze. Perhaps you have tapped her on the shoulder or shouted her name and received no answer. Then as the student nears the end of the hall she probably wakes up and says innocently, "Who tapped me on the shoulder?"

Yes, these things have actually occurred at MSTC. It does make one wonder, doesn't it? What is the cause of these deep thoughts and misty minds? Is it absentmindedness or has a string snapped? It would be interesting to know, but then, perhaps it is catching. I don't believe there is any inoculation for absentmindedness, but it's something which should definitely be developed if any more unusual things occur. Don't you agree?



Filing For Student Commission, Petitioning, Nominating Scheduled

The following portion of the Student Commission Constitution are presented here for the purpose of clarifying the regulations governing the coming Student Commission elections.

Article V

Qualifications of Officers and Commissioners

Any student of the college carrying at least twelve (12) quarter hours of work and having a scholastic standing of "C" in his college record at the time of election, shall be eligible for any commission office with the exception of President, Education Commissioner and Vice President and Secretary-Treasurer. The offices of President, Education Commissioner and Vice President, and Secretary-Treasurer shall be filled by juniors and seniors who will be able to complete their full term if elected and who carry at least twelve (12) quarter hours of work and have an average standing of "C" in their work.

By-Laws

Section II: Primary Election

1. No candidate shall be allowed to run for more than one office.

2. Once a candidate has filed, been nominated by the Commission, or petitioned for an office he may not withdraw his name and file, be nominated by the Commission or petition for another.

Filing

1. Filing days shall be Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, January 17, 18, and 19, of the third week in

January.

2. Filing shall be done by the individual running for office. No organization, group or society may file a candidate's name.

3. Blanks for filing shall be available from the secretary of the Commission, Don Chizek.

4. Each candidate filing for office must file his name with the secretary of the Commission or its official representative no later than 3 p.m. on Wednesday in the third week in January (January 19).

Commission Nominations

1. The Commission shall make their nominations on Thursday and Friday of the third week in January and Monday of the fourth week in January. (January 20, 21, and 24).

2. These nominations shall be made by a committee of seniors from the Commission appointed by the president of the Commission.

3. The individuals whose names have been recommended will be asked by the committee if they desire to run. No individuals will be considered who have already filed. Their acceptance shall be filed with the secretary of his official representative no later than Monday at 3 p.m. in the fourth week in January. (January 24).

4. Names of these filed and Commission nominated candidates shall be printed in the next issue of the MiSTiC and will also be posted on

the college bulletin boards. At the time of publication those candidates that filed for office and those candidates nominated by the Commission will not be differentiated.

Petitions

1. Additional names of candidates for any office may be added to the ballot by petition.

2. Petition days shall be the three school days, January 31 and February 1 and 2, following the publishing of the other candidates' names in the MiSTiC and on the college bulletin boards.

3. Petition candidates or their representatives must file petitions with the Secretary of the Commission or its official representative not later than 3 p.m. on the third school day following the publishing of the other candidate's names in the MiSTiC and on the college bulletin boards. (February 2).

4. Before a petition is submitted to the Commission it must be signed by the candidate being petitioned. This will signify his acceptance of the candidacy. This may be done before or after the petition is circulated.

5. Petition forms shall be available from the secretary of the Commission.

6. Number of names required for petitions will be based on the official on-campus enrollment figures. Ten (10) percent of the student body shall be needed to complete a petition for President, and Education Commissioner and Vice President; eight (8) percent of the student body for any office or commissioner not covered by the 10 percent ruling.

7. Students may sign only one petition for each office. If there is a duplication of signatures for individual offices, this person's name shall be struck from both petitions.

8. If a student has filed for an office or been nominated by the Commission and accepted, he may not withdraw his name and petition for another office.

9. The individual or group circulating a petition for a candidate will be responsible for the conduct of the candidate's campaign.

Primary Election

1. If after petitioning is completed, there are less than three candidates for each office, the Commission nominating committee will meet again to fill the vacancies.

2. The complete ballot will then be printed in the MiSTiC and posted on the college bulletin boards.

3. The primary election shall be held during the second full week in February. The exact time and day will be decided by the Commission in their next meeting.

4. In case of a tie, a special all-college election shall be held to determine the winner.

Section III: General Election

1. The general election shall be held within the week following the primary. The exact time and day will be decided by the Commission in their next meeting.

2. The candidate who receives the majority of the votes for an office shall be declared the elected official for that office.

3. In case of a tie, a special all-college election shall be held to determine the winner.

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Pi Mu Phi's Tile Floor

The Pi Mu Phi sorority have completed a project to tile the floor in their sorority room. The floor was finished Saturday, January 8, in alternate blocks of tan and brown.

The sorority especially appreciates the assistance of Ken Fiemann, Darrel Hirschey, and DeWayne Kurpius on the tiling.

Elementary, HS Student Teachers Assigned to Winter Quarter Classes

Elementary student teachers have been assigned to their various classes for the first six-weeks period of winter quarter.

Those teaching in the elementary grades on campus are:

Kindergarten — Alice Johnston, Edvina Noto, and Gayle Rockstad; first grade — Marie Jensen, North Cornforth, Lila Hanson, and Phoebe Maunumaki; second grade—Lila Fossen, Barbara Newberger, and Darlene Webber.

Third grade — Arlene Aune, Shirley Isgrig, and Delphia Pearson; fourth grade — Katherine Lund, Ruth Thompson and Mary Gail; fifth grade —LaVonne Borowski, Marilyn Hovland, and Marion Hallquist; sixth grade — Nancy Kruger and Pauline Ruliffson.

Student teaching in special fields in the elementary school are Robert Jones, art; Duane Keith, music; Ken-

neth Johnson, Jerry Varriano, and Leonard Varriano in physical education.

Ten people are student teaching in cooperating Fargo and Moorhead schools. They are Helen Smiley, kindergarten, and Valdine Weiss, second grade in Agassiz; Carolyn Lee, grade one, and Anne Tveit, grade three in Clara Barton; Mae Skrutvold, second grade, and Donna Thomas, sixth grade in Horace Mann.

Mary Coyne, first grade in Riverside; Norma Yoki, third grade in Park; Shirley Bengston, second grade in Southeast; and Eloda Grover, fourth grade in Lincoln.

HS Teachers

Winter quarter draws nine women and twenty-two men as student teachers to the Campus High school. Included in this list are:

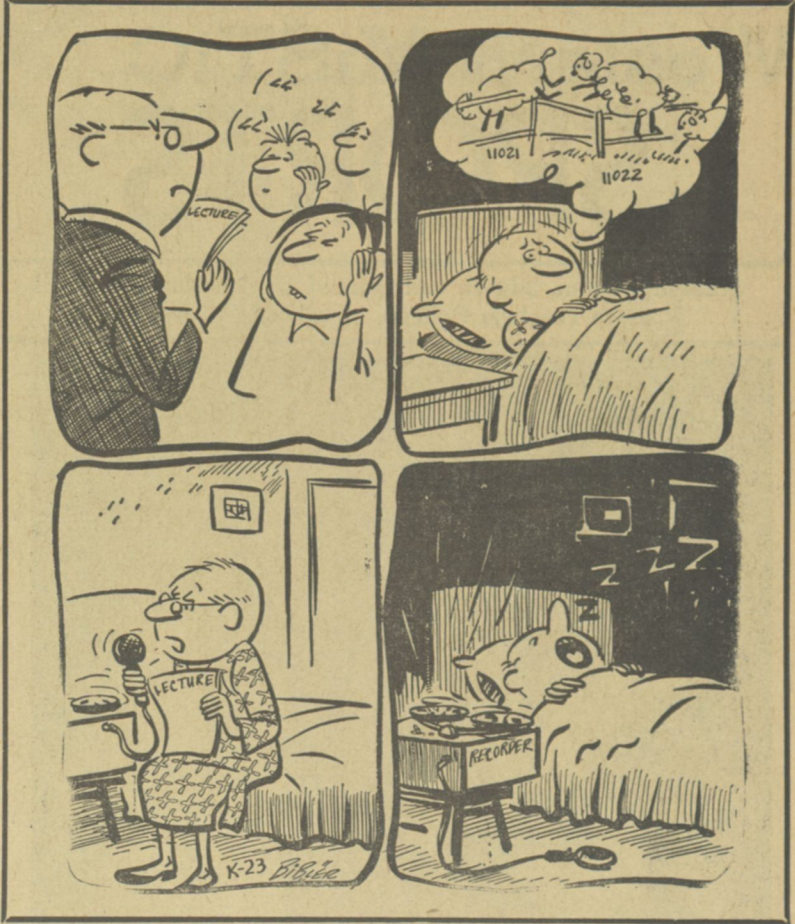
Anne Anderson, social studies and English; Gerald Benshoof, industrial arts; Jeffrey Christenson, typing; William Cozine, advanced industrial arts; E. Elaine Erkkila, English and social studies.

Roger Haire, physical education; Denis Hanson, music and band; Dareld Hirschey, bookkeeping, social studies, and typing; Herb Johnson, science; Kenneth Johnson, biology and physical education; Marvin Jones, English, math, and science; Robert Jones, art and English.

Duane Keith, band; Karen Kludt Dyre, English; Leslie Knutson, science and physics; Clarice Larson, English; H. Philip Lippert, mathematics; Robert Matheson, physics and mathematics.

Twilla Monson, physical education; Ralph Morben, physical education; Gloria Pastorius, social studies and English; Betsy Robinson, bookkeeping; Loren Solem, social studies and biology; Darrel Schuetze, English, social studies, and typing; Phillmer Tenney, English, social studies, and typing.

Darlene Tweten, bookkeeping and physical education; Jerry Varriano, advanced industrial arts and elementary physical education; Gwendolyn Wachal, English and art; Robert Wachal, mathematics; Jack Wilcox, social studies and physical education.



Audience Described As Merely Polite At Lyceum

by Barb Benson

Lack of enthusiasm may describe the reaction of the audience which received Eddy Ruhl, internationally known tenor, Wednesday evening in Weld auditorium.

The appreciation shown by applause seemed to be merely an act of politeness (observation from the back row) with a few exceptions.

This lack of enthusiasm may have been due to the fact that Ruhl's concert was a rather formal presentation. Perhaps we aren't conditioned to appreciate this sort of entertainment as thoroughly as something of a more informal and easy nature.

The size of the audience (approximately 150) may have discouraged some performers. However, when questioned later, Ruhl stated that he thought we were a "delightful audi-

ence." (My opinion and his obviously were different.) He added, "I have sung to much smaller audiences and larger, also, of course."

It is unfortunate that more students and faculty found it inconvenient to attend this lyceum program. Although I do not pretend to be a music critic, I do think that it was generally agreed by the audience that Eddy Ruhl had a delightful tenor voice. It appears that much good entertainment is being overlooked by many students.

The selection of songs sung by Ruhl was not too varied although well rendered. An informal introduction to the French and German melodies may have made the audience more appreciative.

Ruhl, of Washington, D. C., is making a three week tour of several Midwestern colleges and universities.

Calendar of Events

FRIDAY, JANUARY 14

Film, "The Young and the Damned," 7:30 p.m. Weld Auditorium

Cancel: MSTC vs. Bemidji There

MS HS vs Felton and Lake Park There

(Little Valley Tournament)

Rusnees Meeting, 1 p.m. Ingleside

Alpha Phi Gamma Banquet, 6:30 p.m. Warren's Cafe

SATURDAY, JANUARY 15

MS HS vs. Felton and Lake Park, 8 p.m. Here

(Little Valley Tournament)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 16

Basketball Tournament, afternoon and evening Here

MONDAY, JANUARY 17

Girls Intramural Basketball, 8:30 p.m. Big Gym

Student Commission, 6:30 p.m.

LSA LSA House

Wesley Club Grace Methodist Church

MSTC vs. St. Cloud, 8 p.m. There

Art Club, 8:15 p.m. Room 319

Gamma Nu Fun Party, 7 p.m. Student Center

TUESDAY, JANUARY 18

WAA Activity, 4 p.m. Large Gym

MSTC vs. Bethel College, 8 p.m. There

MS HS vs. Oak Grove, 8 p.m. Here

(Minnesota-Dakota Conference)

Beta Chi Fun Party, 7 p.m. Beta Chi Room

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19

Lecture Series, 6:45 p.m. Fine Arts Center

Co-recreation, 8 p.m.

Psi Delta Kappa Fun Party, 7 p.m. Student Center

Kappa Delta Pi Banquet, 6 p.m. Gardner Hotel

THURSDAY, JANUARY 20

Boys Intramural Basketball, 6:30 p.m. Large Gym

Euterpe, 5 p.m. Weld, 108

Pi Mu Phi Fun Party, 7 p.m. Ingleside

Want to Win \$4,000 in Prizes?

How would you like to write for television? A story you write could be put on 256 television stations.

The Christophers are sponsoring a contest to dig out writers with fresh, new ideas. Contestants have a choice of four subjects.

1. Teenagers Can Shape the Future.
2. Improving Labor Relations.
3. Earnings and Property The Right of All.
4. Changing the World Through the Housewife.

These subjects are to be used as themes for Christopher films in the near future.

These are not to be television scripts but basic stories of about 1000 words which can be developed into dramatizations by professional script writers.

Are you interested? (and who wouldn't be with \$4,000 offered in prizes?) See Betsy Robinson for the rules of the contest. Who knows, maybe we have a potential TV script writer in our midst.

Read MiSTiC Ads

NORTHERN LIGHTS

The Dragons ran into a "toughie" last weekend

But this Mankato team is really a ball club.

Coach Larry MacLeod says that if he can get the Dragons to pitch the ball through the bucket like the Mankato Indians, he will start making plans for the conference trophy.

The Scarlet and White ought to be on the upgrade for the rest of the schedule.

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DANCE

CRYSTAL

BALLROOM

Old time every Tuesday

Modern dancing every Saturday

TOMORROW NIGHT

January 15th

PAUL HANSEN

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ROGER HAIRE tries to get past a Mankato defensive man as the Dragon co-captain strives to keep the MSTC crew in the game. Unfortunately the Dragons didn't get enough buckets as they were downed by the Indians, 87-55, here, last Saturday night. John Torgerson stands in front of Norm Ness (13) of Mankato awaiting a possible rebound. Standing in the background is Wayne Deden (41). Photo by Hub Zervas.

Dragons Draw Sport Talent From Local High Schools

by Dick Seal

High school basketball is often overlooked when one goes away to college but actually right in the Moorhead area we have two high schools who are making some noise in this area. The two schools, Moorhead STC High and Moorhead High have teams to be considered.

The Spuds were undefeated in six games until they ran into Alexandria and met defeat in late December. The Spuds came back to defeat a good Shanley crew, however.

Coach "Shocky" Strand has two of

his graduate playing for MSTC this year. Lowell Bolger and Dave Grosz are two promising candidates. Bolger is already on the varsity and Grosz is a member of the freshmen squad having entered school at the opening of the winter quarter.

The campus school is a green outfit coached by capable Dick Jensen. Defending champs in the Little Valley, the Baby Dragons have a long way to go but they have greatly improved since their opener. Watch the Little Valley conference tournament and you will see some great action.

Wyatt Goes to Tennessee

Heard From the Pressbox

by Larry Plonty

The talk about college football as a dying game should be reviewed according to the latest news flashes.

The latest example is Bowden Wyatt, ex-coach of the Cotton Bowl winning Arkansas team.

The alumni of Arkansas University thought so much of Wyatt that they gave him a new five year contract calling for \$15,000 per year, \$20,000 in a bonus, and a new car for his winning season.

So what happens? Wyatt resigns the coaching post at Arkansas and becomes head football coach at Tennessee.

Remember a few years ago when ten or twelve major colleges dropped football because they couldn't meet expenses?...

This coming weekend could very well decide the fortunes of the Dragon basketball team. A sweep of the

two game series with Bemidji and St. Cloud is a "must" to put the Dragons back in the conference race. Both teams are hard to beat on their own floors...

Gustavus, the leading team in the Minnesota College league, scored FOUR points in the first twelve minutes of play against Concordia last Tuesday night. Gustavus did all this high scoring with four of their starting five stretching 6'5" or better.

The Mikan-less Minneapolis Laker professional basketball team is slated to appear in the Concordia fieldhouse in early February. A regular league game will be played.

MSTC wrestlers take notice. Alan Ameche, the University of Wisconsin football player, has been offered \$100,000 a year to turn to the "grunt and groan" sport.

Speaking of the Little Valley brings to mind that the conference had two boys who have really found buckets at random. Dave Destad lanky Audubon ace, and stocky Roger Gilbertson of Lake Park will receive real recognition on the hardwoods.

The tournament opened last night and continuing tonight (Friday) with the finals set for tomorrow night. Basketball fans can see the finals on the MSTC court Saturday night.

Rick Gray who set high scoring marks last year for Don Anderson's crew is at present doing pretty well for the freshmen cagers. Rick has been starting at a guard position and doing very well.

While Alexandria is the only team to have beaten Moorhead, the Spuds will get another crack at them February 25. The game will have an important factor on deciding the conference champ. The Spuds and Alexandria both have 2-1 records now. The Cardinals lost to Breckenridge early in the season. Detroit Lakes leads the five team conference with a 2-0 record. The Lakers, last year's District 23 champs, have beaten Breckenridge and Fergus Falls in loop play.

While the Spuds are tied for second in the Resort Region, they lead the Minn-Kota with four wins and no defeats. The Spuds have stopped Fergus Falls, Wahpeton, Breckenridge, and Fargo.

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Complete dominance of the back board and good inside shooting gave the Mankato STC Indians a well deserved 87-55 lacing of host MSTC here last Saturday night in a Minnesota Teacher's College conference game. Saturday night's game was the league opener for both teams.

The Indians left little doubt that they were a fabulous outfit. Forwards Duane Mettler and Norm Ness, two gifted performers, tossed in 34 between them. Metler, a junior, hit 18 points, and Ness, a senior, dropped in 16.

However, credit should also be given to two unsung heroes, little Bob Will and lanky Wayne Deden. They were consistent all night with key and direct passes.

Milan Knezovich, the well remembered basketball star of Hibbing, made his appearance midway in the first half and ended up with 17 points.

The Dragons simply did not have the guns to cope with Coach Bob Otto's team. As a result the defending champs were in complete control. They led by 26 at halftime, 49-23. At the three-quarter mark it was 68-37. Both coaches began to substitute freely in the last ten minutes.

Coach MacLeod suited up Bruce Douglas of the freshmen squad for the first time. Douglas' rebounding and good inside shooting may come in handy. He dropped in two free throws Saturday night. Chuck Erickson, another reserve and a sophomore who was not on the varsity last year, presented himself very well.

Leading the Dragons as usual was John Torgerson. Held to a slightly

lower total that he has been accustomed to, John nevertheless did manage to get 15 points. The last six minutes saw the senior co-captain taking a rest due to a bad injury to his ankles.

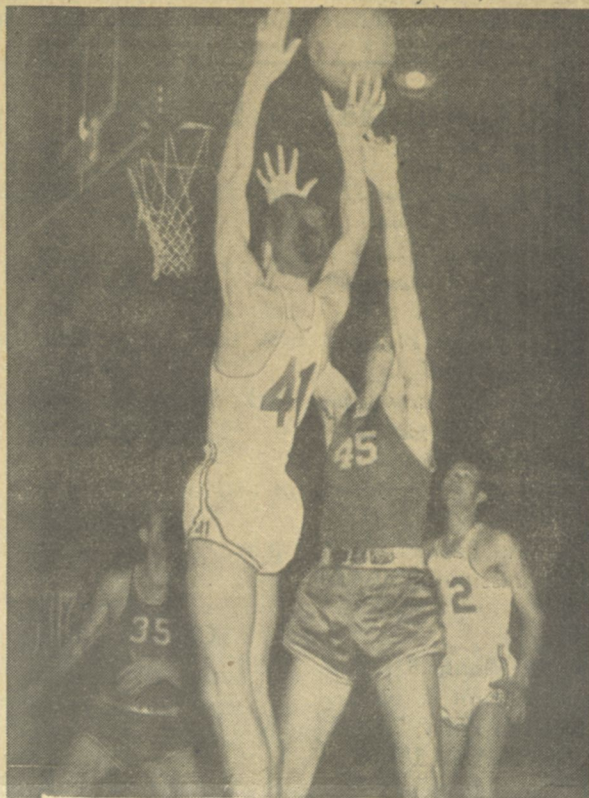
Mankato	fg	ft	pf	tp
Mettler	8	2	1	18
Stoesz	0	0	1	0
Bridley	2	2	3	6
Ness	5	6	1	16
Wilhelm	0	0	2	0
Reader	0	0	0	0
Peper	1	5	2	7
Knezovich	5	7	2	17
Deden	3	2	1	8
Barnes	0	1	0	1
Will	6	0	4	12
O'Connor	1	0	0	2

MSTC	fg	ft	pf	tp
J. Torgerson	4	7	4	15
Miller	0	0	4	0
Oistad	0	0	1	0
D. Torgerson	3	4	3	10
Erickson	0	4	1	4
Kieselbach	2	0	3	4
Haire	1	1	4	3
Douglas	0	2	2	2
Hesby	1	2	1	4
Bolger	6	1	1	13
Handorff	0	0	0	0
Klemp	0	0	1	0
Betzen	0	0	0	0

Totals 17 21 25 55

Halftime Score: Mankato 49, MSTC 23.

Totals 31 25 17 87 Officials: Lysaker, Moorhead.



CHUCK ERICKSON, a reserve forward, goes up high to get over the arms of Chuck Reader (45). Joe Oistad, another reserve, waits in the background. Mankato's Bill Wilhelm (35) watches Erickson shot with one eye and notches Oistad moving in for a possible layup should Chuck miss. Photo by Hub Zervas.

Cobber Freshman Team Nips Campus Frosh In Preliminary

Concordia's freshmen team nipped the freshmen Dragons in the preliminary to the MSTC-Mankato STC game, 64-58, here Saturday night. The victory was the second of the season for the Cobbers over the Dragons and was the third defeat in seven games for the Ken Johnson coached group.

The Cobbers threw a well balanced attack at MSTC led by gigantic Lowell Waylander who tossed in 15. Norm Opheim and Phil Berg tossed in an additional 13 and 12 points respectively.

Don Dulski led the local frosh with 17 points from his forward position.

Dulski ripped the nets for 11 points in the second half. Teamates Neil Sussenguth and Rick Gray each tossed in 13 points.

Concordia played on even terms with the freshmen Dragons in the first half as the score was deadlocked 25-25. At the 30 minute mark it was 49-45 for the Cobbers.

MSTC scoring: Dulski 17, Gray 13, Sussenguth 13, Meyer 6, Douglas 6, Johnson 2, Thompson 1, Lang 0, and Grosz 0.

Concordia scoring: Waylander 15, N. Opheim 13, Berg 12, Stenson 8, Halstengard 7, D. Opheim 5, Billehus 4, Rude 0.

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Crookston Matmen Pin Dragons

Mankato is beyond any doubt the toughest team in the Minnesota Teachers college conference. The rampaging Indians waded through the Dragon squad with ease and made them look like they had never been on a basketball court before.

Mankato is the only team in Minnesota that is undefeated, and it is easy to see why. With men like Ness and Will on their roster, a close game with the University of Minnesota would be possible if the two team met.

In spite of this inevitable carnage we can not be too down on the Dragons. We are sure that MacLeod will pull his boys to a pair of victories over Winona and also net a victory over Concordia before the season is over.

In last week's issue we stated that Don Anderson was the coach of the MS High Baby Dragons. He is not,

Dick Jensen is now handling the coaching duties of this squad. We extend our apologies to him and hope that some erroneously spilled ink has not caused too much trouble or ill feeling.

Jaroslav Kruta, the giant amiable lad who wrestled heavyweight for the Dragons last year, visited MS last week as the coach of a fine Crookston Agricultural school team which nipped the college matmen 26-23.

Kruta's men were especially tough in the lighter weights, capturing four consecutive matches from the Dragon crew. Credit must be given to Roger Johnson, Dragon 137 pounder. Since the squad was short a man in this weight Roger consented to wrestle (had never been on a mat before) and was paired with Crookston's best man. It is easy to see why the Dragon squad needs some depth.

Ron Kragnes, Black Bennett, and Dave Montplaisir, new additions to the Dragon wrestling squad, showed marked improvement over some of their practice matches as they racked up a trio of pins against the Ag boys.

Al Holmes was the only letterman who won against the strong Crookston club that looked like a York Bar Bell crew.

The Dragon matmen will meet the Cobbers in a meet across the graveyard today at 4:30, and will tangle with Crookston again next week. Later in the season our more-groan-than-glory boys will meet St. Cloud and Bemidji.

- Results of the match with Crookston:
- Weight
- 128 Leroy Sondrol (C) decided Les Kertscher (MS) 5-1.
 - 130 Lowell Hanson (C) pinned Lee Johnson (MS) in 2:37.
 - 137 Claude Mosher (C) pinned Roger Johnson (MS) in 1:42.
 - 147 Syl Greskowiak (C) decided Al Hendrickson (MS) 9-4.
 - 147 Ron Kragnes (MS) pinned Bruce Chapman (C) in 5:43.
 - 157 Keith Chapman (MS) pinned Don Murphy (C) in .39.
 - 157 Jim Olson (C) pinned Dick Shultz in 2:21.
 - 167 Allan Holmes (MS) decided Ray Wiertzema (C) 4-0.
 - 167 Dave Montplaisir (MS) pinned Spencer Larson (C) in 5:05.
 - 177 Dick Bennet (MS) pinned Henry Hettwer (C) in 3:59.
 - Heavy Gene Austin (C) pinned Marvin Olson (MS) in 1:36.



BUD HOLGERSON OF KXJB-TV works the camera for Jim Adelson as the station casts the Dragon-Whapeton Science game. The camera was located in the balcony of the southeast corner. Photo by Hub Zervas.

Varsity Team Scheduled To Play St. Cloud

A two night overnight trip which will result in a three day trip faces the Dragon basketball team next week when they invade St. Cloud STC Monday night and Bethel Tuesday night in St. Paul.

The St. Cloud game is an important engagement. The Huskies are better than anticipated. Many regarded the Huskies as a second division team. Pre-season talk gave the Huskies a small chance of winning. However, that has meant very little to Coach Kenny Novak who replaces Les Luymes.

Led by the fabulous twosome, Rog and Dave Westlund, the Huskies have two superb forwards. However, the Dragons have a good brother combination in John and "Red" Torgerson and they're nothing to overlook.

Backing up the Westlund's are Bob Kosel and Jim Zakariasen at the guards. Jack Kelly holds down the pivot.

The Huskies and Dragons met in the Paul Bunyan Invitational so both coaches have an idea of what to expect. St. Cloud got the better of the outcome at 77-65 in the Dragon tournament opener and then went on to lose to Eau Claire STC by a close margin. They held the Wisconsin group below average and were never out of the game.

Bethel is a small four-year school in St. Paul. Coached by DelRay Peterson, the Royals have only three returning lettermen.

The three vets are Bill Conrad from St. Paul, Frank Burleson of Browns Valley, and Paul Sandberg of Minneapolis. Burleson, a forward, is expected to carry much of the scoring load. He was second in individual scoring last year with 13 points per game.

One thing is certain, the Dragons probably have seen their best opposition in Mankato STC. The Indians gave the Dragons a real lacing here last Saturday night in gaining their ninth straight triumph.

John Torgerson, the team's leading scorer, was not affected too badly by his injured ankle. He will be ready

Lettermen Get New Emblems

New emblems for senior award jackets was the main topic discussed at the M club meeting held last Tuesday.

All jackets from last year's winners and the jackets to be awarded this year will bear this new emblem. Award jackets of last year's winners are now being sent back to the company for the sewing of the new emblem.

A raffle of another M club blanket was discussed, but no date has been decided on as yet.

All proceeds from the raffle will go towards obtaining letters and jackets for this year's winners. For those who are interested in obtaining a letterman's jacket, you have to earn three letters in any sport or sports.

and able to go Monday night after sitting out six minutes against the Indians.

The team will leave Monday morning. The freshmen will meet the St. Cloud frosh in the preliminary game and will return that night. Monday night the team will stay over in St. Cloud. Following the Bethel game Tuesday night the Dragons will stay over in St. Paul. The frosh will not play Bethel.



KXJB-TV sportscaster Jim Adelson is ready to go as the television station casts its first sport's attraction involving the Dragons. KXJB-TV did the Whapeton Science-MSTC game, here. Photo by Hub Zervas

Lakers' Home Games To Be Televised Soon

WDAY-TV has made final arrangements to carry the Sunday home games of the Minneapolis Lakers direct from either the Minneapolis Auditorium or the Minneapolis Armory.

The Laker games will be carried from 2 to 4 p.m., courtesy of Bristol Distributing Co., Super Valu Stores and the area Chevrolet dealers.

All the televised contests will be carried live with Dick Enroth, noted

northwest sports commentator, handling the description of the games for the Lakers who are currently in second place behind the front running Fort Wayne Pistons.

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Game, Wrestling Match With Bemidji Canceled

It has been a bad week for the Dragons in athletics. The wrestling team was to have gone to Bemidji Tuesday afternoon to meet the Beaver grabblers. A seige of diphtheria with two reported deaths caused postponement.

Tuesday afternoon basketball coach Larry MacLeod informed the MiSTiC that his team will not be going to Bemidji Friday to play basketball. Due to the seriousness of the diphtheria outbreak, Beaver athletic authorities have moved the game to Monday night, February 28.

That means that the Dragon basketball team will be a well rested crew when they take the floor against St. Cloud STC there Monday night. The Dragons follow up the next night by playing Bethel in St. Paul in a non-league game.

Pat Ferris, the wrestling coach, has scheduled a rematch for his crew against the Concordia Cobbers of Coach Jerry Olsen this afternoon (Friday) on the mats of Concordia. The Dragons will be striving for their second team victory over the Cobbers.

LSMFT Girls Top Huskies Monday In Intramural Contest

On Monday, January 11, the girls intramural basketball tournament held its first contest between the Huskies, captained by Sylvia Rustad, and the LSMFT girls, co-captained by Janice plonty and Audrey De Mars. The LSMFT (which means, Lucky Shooters Means Fine Team) won the game 45 to 23.

Vivian Floberg officiated the game. Monday night's game was not considered an official tournament game. The Round Robin of four teams will start official play on Monday, January 17. Other teams besides the two previously named are the Beta Chi sorority team and the Pi Mu Phi sorority team.

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Pep Club Cancels Trip; States Aims, Projects

Fun was abandoned for health's sake as the long-awaited trip to Bemidji STC was canceled. Pep Club and band members had high hopes of attending the Bemidji-Moorhead basketball game in Bemidji this evening.

Due to a diphtheria outbreak in Bemidji, the trip has been canceled. Better luck next time!

Pep club members have set up certain objectives for the year of entertainment is being secured for the benefit of the spectators.

Working for the betterment of school spirit, friendly inter-school relationships and better hospitality to those attending athletic events, the Pep club has been sponsoring dances after every home basketball game and setting up coat check stands for

the convenience of those attending the basketball games. Half-time entertain is being secured for the benefit of the spectators.

Supporting the Dragons is one of the main projects and purposes of the Pep Club. Attending out of town games is one of the most outstanding projects of the club. It is hoped that more out of town games can be attended, providing no more diseases breakout.

Other projects which the Pep club plan to carry out are: To create new school songs and cheers and cooperate with our cheerleaders, to work toward more and better pep rallies, and to sponsor a picnic in the spring of the year in honor of the coaches and athletic teams.

Dates For Religious Emphasis Week Set

"Encounter With God" is the theme of Religious Emphasis Week which will be held on this campus, January 23-28.

All-college programs will be presented by the five religious organizations - LSA, Wesley Foundation, Newman club, Inter-Varsity, and YWCA. On Wednesday morning, the LSA will take charge of the convocation. A speaker has been engaged for this hour.

The Newman club, Wesley Foundation, and Inter-Varsity will present evening programs. Speakers have

been engaged to speak on three sub-topics, "God Meets Us In Academic Life," "God Meets Us In Social Life," and "God Meets Us In Personal Life."

On Friday evening a movie, "God Needs Men," will be shown followed by an hour of discussion, singing, and evaluation of the week, sponsored by the Inter-Varsity.

Church Corner

Wesley Goes Skating

by DeLayne Riedberger

Now's your chance to exercise a bit! How? Come ice skating with Wesley Foundation members next Monday night at 7 p.m.

A winter party has been planned for Monday evening's program. Ice skating will be from 7-8 p.m. For those of you who can not bear the thought of staggering around on a pair of skates, you will be royally entertained from 7:30-8 with other forms of recreation. When the skaters

return, there will be hot chocolate, group singing, and more fun.

LSA NEWS

Reverend Carroll Hinderlie, Minneapolis, new youth director of the ELC church will speak at the LSA coffee hour on Tuesday, January 18, at 4 p.m. His topic will be "What's Wrong with ME?" Reverend Hinderlie's visit is made possible because he will be guest speaker during Religious Emphasis Week to be held at NDSC January 17-24.

Owl, AE Fraternities Invite New Members; To Initiate Soon

Invitations for new members were sent out yesterday by the Owls and Alpha Epsilon, the two men's social fraternities on campus. Initiation is scheduled to begin this coming or the following week.

The fraternities have various degrees to the initiation which continues through the year, but only one week of informal initiation is held for the new members.

Each fraternity has its own membership requirements. Two main requirements are a C average (scholarship ratio of 1.0) or better and twelve weeks or one quarter of attendance at

the school.

Membership in the social organizations is based on the students' friendliness, ability in school work, and participation in various activities.

Movie Shows Tonight

"The Young and the Damned," the movie previously scheduled for Wednesday evening, is being shown here tonight.

The movie will be shown in Weld Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. No admission will be charged.

Vasey Featured In Arts Center

Hamilton G. Vasey, Fargo superintendent of schools, will lead the next lecture and discussion in the Fine Arts Series on Thursday, January 20, on the topic, "What School Superintendents Expect of a Prospective Teacher." The meeting will be held in the Fine Arts Center at 6:30 p.m.

Vasey's talk will include facts the prospective teacher needs to know before applying for or accepting a teaching position. A discussion period centering around questions from the audience will follow the lecture.

This is the second lecture and discussion of the winter quarter in the Fine Arts Series. The series presents programs based on interest areas of college student groups and is intended to stress information not found in the academic background and experience of these groups.

Students having suggestions for either topics or speakers they would like to hear in this series are encouraged to leave their requests in Room 244.

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